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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :

Shinji MURAKAMI, et al. : GROUP ART UNIT: To be assigned

SERIAL NO: 10/596,541 :

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FOR: FIRE-RETARDANT COMPOSITE

**MATERIAL** 

## **PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, please amend the subject application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper;

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.